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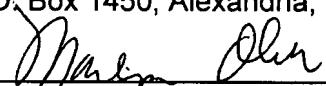
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AMENDMENT AND FIRST RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find an Amendment which is filed in as a First Response to the Final Office Action mailed April 9, 2007. Applicant requests entry of the enclosed Amendment.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page two of this paper. 125.00 OP

Remarks/Arguments begin on page seven of this paper.